

PRICE ONE CENT.

NEW YORK, SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1902.

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REINA, A DARK HORSE, AT ODDS OF 40 TO 1, WINS THE GREAT BROOKLYN HANDICAP.

ROBBED, SLAIN, THEN THROWN INTO RIVER.

Body of Prosperous Middle-Aged German, Weighted with a Big Stone, in Hudson—

BRUISES POINT TO CRIME.

May Be Identified by Lack of Teeth, Keys, Small Chain or Handkerchief Marked "V."

WHO IS THE VICTIM?

Here is a complete description of the wire-wound body found in the Hudson: Apparently forty years old. Weight 170 pounds. Black hair, partly bald in front. NO TEETH. False teeth also missing. Sandy mustache. Blue eyes. Blue striped shirt with small figure. Dark coat and vest. Striped gray trousers. Light brown underwear. Red socks. Black lace shoes. White collar, blue and red tie.

The body of a man bound several times about with wire and weighted down by a heavy stone was found to-day in the Hudson River at the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

The pockets of the trousers were turned inside out.

In one of the coat pockets was found a handkerchief on which was the initial "V."

The police of the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station say the indications point to murder.

The Coroner has been notified and the body is awaiting his arrival. Michael Clancy, a scowman, was passing the docks of the Tone Coal Company, off One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, this morning when he saw what proved to be a body.

The tide had washed it to a pier and there the wire caught in a spike. When the tide lowered a part of the body was visible.

Body Wired Four Times.

Clancy secured help and got the body up on the coal docks. There it was found that a wire, such as is used to tie a bale of hay, was wound around the body four times and that to the end of the wire was attached a heavy stone.

There were no papers by which the body could be identified.

The growth of the beard indicates that the body has been in the water possibly two weeks.

Evidence of Murder.

The body is not badly decomposed, but THE FACE SHOWS SEVERAL SEVERE BRUISES, which are believed to have been the result of blows before the body reached the water. THE BODY IS ALSO BRUISED.

Evidently Prosperous.

Several who saw the body said that it was apparently that of a German. The features indicated this. The quality of clothing is good and the police say that it is evident he was in prosperous circumstances. Captain Hogan, of the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street sta-

GIANTS SCORE FIRST RUN ON PIRATES IN SECOND.

Evans in the Box To-Day—Big Crowd and Betting Brisk.

The Batting Order.
New York.
Clark, cf.
Lauder, 2b.
Jones, rf.
Doyle, 1b.
Yeager, c.
Smith, 3b.
Jackson, lf.
Beau, ss.
Evans, p.
Pittsburgh.
Davis, rf.
Conroy, ss.
Beau, cf.
Walters, 1b.
Brundage, 2b.
Burke, 3b.
Leach, lf.
O'Connor, c.
Chesbro, p.

(Special to The Evening World.)
EXPOSITION PARK, PITTSBURG, May 24.—If those Pirates have not the luck of the owner of to-day's Brooklyn Handicap winner, then they are going to have it recorded on the wrong side of their list of games won and lost, another contest. That's what every one of the Giants asserted before the tussle began. The three games played have shown pretty clearly to the New Yorkers that the champions "Have nothing on them" as far as playing ability is concerned, but they cannot raise anything to offset that greatest requisite good luck.

Great Crowd at Game.

Pittsburghers know, too, judging by recent performances, that the Giants are a worthy foe. One would think that a Brooklyn Handicap was being run to see the way in which the box offices were stormed. Street cars did a rushing business, and for that matter so did the drivers of cabs and other vehicles. Folks from Pittsburgh's suburbs were in the multitude and all took the game as a rare treat. The Giants have created the impression that the champions are by no means invincible. Pittsburgh folks do respect the Giants' merits, and that's why they kept the turnstiles doing a merry clicking for an hour or so before the game. It really looked like a holiday in the stands.

Secrecy was kept as to the result, in fact, that a half dozen bookmakers would find plenty to do were they there chalking up figures. But everybody was betting and the Giants had many supporters. They got \$100 to every \$40 they put up, and it's not an exaggeration to state that \$100,000 was bet on the result before the game began.

Campbell to Be a Giant.

There is to be a new outfielder on the New York team. He is one Tom Campbell, and he will join the team when it arrives in Boston on Tuesday. He is playing with the Wilmington, Del. team, and according to such experts as Roy Evans and George Smith, he is a "cooker." Batting is said to be his specialty, and, goodness! the Giants need such a person pretty badly.

Fred Clarke, the Pirates' manager, does do a lot of thinking regardless of the strong hold his team has on the lead of the pennant race. He has so many pitchers of all calibers that he never knows until two minutes before the game just who is going to pitch. This afternoon he had Jack Chesbro warm up to see how good he was, and he also had Sam Leever undo a few kinks that might be in his pitching wing. Poole was in line, too, but he never had a chance of being selected to pitch against such a dangerous team as the Giants. Chesbro was in the form and struck Clarke right, so he let him fill the job.

Christy Mathewson is a great favorite here, and the Sun or more in attendance howled for him to pitch, but the great twister's arm was not in fit shape for him to do the obliging act.

First Inning.

Chesbro's curves were something Clark couldn't solve in three attempts. Lauders experienced a like difficulty. Jones' foul lift was taken by Brundage. No runs.

Second Inning.

Doyle's knock was fine and dandy. It gained him two bases. Yeager was on top with a safety and Capt. Jack pulled Smith out of the game. O'Connor pulled down Jackson's pop up. Felt to Burke. Beau was a strike-out victim. One run.

Wagner hit a hot one to Beau, who threw the big fellow out, but the umpire said not, and it goes as a single. Brundage's bunt was thrown to first by Felt. Beau was thrown out when he tried to steal third, and Jackson took Burke's fly. No runs.

Third Inning.

Evans was another to be deceived by Chesbro's curves. Clark's foul lift fell to O'Connor. Lauders for the second time failed to handle the ball. Clark was under Leach's fly when it dropped. Beau juggled O'Connor's roller for a victim, but got it to Doyle. Clark pulled down Chesbro's lofty one. No runs.

Fourth Inning.

Jones' knock was handled rightly by Conroy. Doyle's hit was just a bit too hot for Conroy to handle and the Giant reached first. Yeager lifted the ball to Davis. Smith was Chesbro's sixth strike-out victim. One run.

Fifth Inning.

Jackson was given a base and Beau's neat sacrifice bunt moved him up. Once again a person pretty badly.

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NEW YORK LOSES.

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PITTSBURG 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 3-6

At St. Louis—First game postponed; wet grounds; second game, end third inning. St. Louis, 0; Boston, 8.
At Chicago—End fourth inning: Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 0.
At Princeton—Princeton, 1; University of Illinois, 3.
At Ithaca—Cornell, 11; Pennsylvania, 3.
At Jasper Oval—End of fourth: Lehigh, 7; Manhattan, 14.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Philadelphia—End eighth inning: Cleveland, 8; Phila., 4.
At Boston—Chicago, 3; Boston, 5.
At Baltimore—End eighth inning: Detroit, 0; Baltimore, 6.
At Washington—End fourth inning: St. Louis, 0; Wash., 2.

LATE RESULTS AT GRAVESSEND.

Sixth Race—Fried Krupp 1, The Puritan 2, King Raine 3.
Seventh Race—Turnpike 1, St. Kennard 2, Warte Nicht 3.

AT WORTH.

Second Race—Foxy Cane 1, Florestan 2, King Dodo 3.
Third Race—Henry of Franmar, Pirate's Queen, Botany.

LATE RESULTS AT ST. LOUIS.

Third Race—Wallabout 1, Out the Way 2, Banquo II 3.

BRILLIANT SPRINTING BY HARVARD MEN.

Two wonderful performances were credited to the Harvard men in the dual meet at Cambridge. Shick won the hundred-yard dash in 9.4-5 seconds. Willis won the 220-yard hurdle race in 23.4-5, breaking the old record by 4-5 of a second. 220-Yard Dash—Schick, Harvard, won; Moulton, Yale, second; Rust, Harvard, third; time, 22 seconds. Hammer Throw—Piper, Harvard, 128 feet 10 inches; Beck, Yale, 120 feet 7 1/2 inches; Harris, Yale, 109 feet 9 inches. Harvard wins dual meet in eleventh event, having then won 56 1/2 points out of a possible 104.

DIVED IN VAIN FOR FLANAGAN GIRL.

Robert Russell, of the Dock Department, put on a diving suit this afternoon and explored the bottom of the North River for 200 feet on both sides of the One Hundred and Thirty-third street pier from which Katie Flanagan is supposed to have fallen. He said that he could find no trace of the body.

FATHER BURNED TRYING TO SAVE SON'S CORPSE.

(Special to The Evening World.)
NEWARK, N. J., May 24.—John Mitchell, of No. 112 Grant avenue, Harrison, was painfully burned about the hands and face to-day, while trying to extinguish flames that were destroying a casket in which the body of his son lay. The candles around the coffin had set fire to a lace curtain and the casket caught fire. The corpse was badly burned before the fire was put out.

FIGHT DURING CURB "HAT SMASHING."

The habit of smashing hats, which is always more or less practiced on the curb market, was more in evidence than usual to-day on account of the fact that a good many men wore Panama hats for the first time this season. In the turmoil only a few persons noticed what was said to have been a genuine fist fight between two brokers, who disagreed over the terms of a trade they were trying to make.

MRS. SOPHIE SCHMIDT FOUND DROWNED.

The body of Mrs. Sophie Schmidt was found in the Erie Basin Breakwater to-day. It was clothed in a white cotton undershirt, with one woollen stocking and one low cut shoe. John Schmidt, of No. 95 Ferris street, Brooklyn, identified the body as that of his wife. She has been missing from her home since Jan. 24.

BELIEVED TO HAVE SKIN LEPROSY.

Moses Rosato, an Italian who arrived on the steamship Spartan Prince to-day, was sent to Long Island College for observation. It is believed he has skin leprosy.

FIRE HEROES HONORED.

Medals Awarded by Mr. Sturgis for Good Work in Department.

The award of Fire Department medals for the year 1900 was made to-day by Commissioner Sturgis to the following firemen:
Thomas J. McArthur, of Engine Co. No. 41, the Bennett medal, for the rescue of a fellow fireman in the Tarrant drug-house fire; Jeremiah Haggerty, of Engine Co. No. 4, the Bennett medal, for saving five lives in a fire on the Mallory Lane pier; James Monaghan, of Engine Co. No. 18, the Trevor and Warren medal, for coöperation in assisting in the rescue of thirty-six persons from a fire at No. 74 First avenue; Thomas Maloney, Engine Co. No. 14, the

WEATHER FORECAST.

Forecast for the thirty-six hours ending at 8 P. M. Sunday, for New York City and vicinity.—Unsettled, probably showers and thunderstorms to-night and Sunday; variable winds, mostly southerly.

A. Featherstone's Mare, with 102 Pounds Up, Gets Away Well and Beats Advance Guard a Length—Pentecost Is Third, and Blues, the Favorite, Fourth—Time, 2.07.

Reina first.
Advance Guard second.
Pentecost third. Time—2.07.

That was the result of the great Brooklyn Handicap run at Gravesend in the presence of 40,000 spectators.

They were off at 4.10 to a good start, with Blues, the favorite, and Monograph, the Western flyer, away first.

At the quarter the lightweight Reina raced to the front and set the pace. Monograph, Flywheel, Herbert and Blues were thundering at the mare's heels.

At the half there was an accident. Alcedo, who was the medium of an anti-post plunge, fell and was out of it.

Monograph was then leading Reina by a neck. Blues was third a length away, with Herbert next.

Reina was again leading at the mile. Monograph, Advance Guard and Blues were then the contenders, into the stretch flew Reina, her beautiful chestnut body quivering in a supreme effort. She was neck-and-neck with Advance Guard, Blues and Monogram.

Then weight told and Reina drew away, winning by a head from Advance Guard, who was two lengths before Pentecost. The fast tiring Blues lost third place by a neck.

HOW FORTY THOUSAND SPECTATORS WAITED FOR THE GREAT RACE

HOW THE HORSES FINISHED.

(Special to The Evening World.)
GRAVESSEND RACE TRACK, May 24.—An enormous crowd of people—it is impossible to say how many—saw the running of the Brooklyn Handicap at Gravesend this afternoon. To the trained eye, seemed as if all the inhabitants of New York and Brooklyn had poured out of those big boroughs and crowded in the race track. Even the trained eye, accustomed to fixing up a mob, it seemed as if fully 40,000 persons saw the big race. It is safe to say, at least, that there never was such an attendance at Gravesend before.

No matter in which direction the eye turned there were crowds. They flooded an inclosed enclosure so that the horses in the steeplechases and in the flat races seemed to be racing in long lanes that were fenced in by thousands of living beings. Both tiers in the grand stand were solidly packed. Not a seat was to be had in any part of the immense structure. The new field stand, designed to meet the growing attendance at the races, failed miserably to accommodate the mob of pleasure-seekers this afternoon.

Tables led into a common channel, which became thick, sluggish, and finally dogged. More jokes were cracked at the Brooklyn Rapid Transit than would fill the comic papers for a year. Yet withal the crowd was cheerful and happy. They were packed into trolleys and trains like wadding into a gun, but there wasn't a whimper. They clung to the rails or sat in the hour-glass, the filtered through the entrance to the steps and bumpers like flies on a polished wall, and seemed to enjoy it. They were happy at the prospect of being alive and able to see one of the greatest races of the year.

After the car emptied its load in front of the grand stand, the narrow entrance was choked. The crowd stood and pushed and sweated and resisted the importunings of the tipsters, who had good things to say. Like the grains of sand in the hour-glass, they filtered through the entrance to the steps and bumpers like flies on a polished wall, and seemed to enjoy it. They were happy at the prospect of being alive and able to see one of the greatest races of the year.

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MORE PAY FOR THE POSTAL CLERKS.

Force in General Post Office Here Will Also Be Strengthened—Eight-Hour System Now in View.

Nearly two thousand clerks employed in the New York Post-Office are rejoicing over the announcement that they will receive more pay after July 1, and that three hundred new clerks will be employed to aid them in their work. This will enable Postmaster Van Cott to inaugurate the eight-hour system, and the men will not be expected to work overtime after the additional force is employed. Every clerk now receiving less than \$1,500 a year will receive a raise of \$150, which will require about \$185,000 annually, while three hundred new clerks will increase the expense at the New York Post-Office by about the same amount.

TO-NIGHT'S EVENTS.

Lecture on "Reichmann" by Prof. L. Bolles, Y. M. C. A., No. 40 West Twenty-fourth street. Entertainment in honor of Prof. Solomon Schlechter, President of the Jewish Theological Seminary, Cooper Union. Twenty-eighth annual dinner of the Fortnightly Shakespeare, Hotel St. Denis. Concert and entertainment of the Jewish Endeavor Society at the auditorium of the Educational Alliance, East Broadway, corner Jefferson street.

ALLAYING PANIC IN MARTINIQUE.

French Government Commission at Fort de France Co-operating with Local Authorities—Paris Relief Fund. PARIS, May 24.—A despatch received here from Fort de France, dated from Fort de France, Martinique, yesterday, reports that there is no change in the situation there. It is impossible to enter St. Pierre. With the view of allaying the panic caused by the later eruption of Mount Pelée, the French Government Commission, which arrived at Fort de France on the cruiser d'Assas, immediately landed at that port and co-operated with the local authorities in reassuring the public and in distributing relief. The total of the Martinique Relief Fund now amounts to \$1,000,000 (100,000 francs).